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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Andrzej Z. Sledziewski et al.

Application No.: 08/980,400

Filed: November 26, 1997

For: METHODS OF PRODUCING SECRETED RECEPTOR ANALOGS

AND BIOLOGICALLY ACTIVE DIMERIZED POLYPEPTIDE

FUSIONS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to filing a Terminal Disclaimer, Applicants hereby authorize payment of the statutory disclaimer fee, pursuant to 37 CFR §1.20(d), of \$110.00 by charging the fee to Deposit Account No. 20-1430. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to the above Deposit Account. This Petition is submitted in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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